



General Assembly

January Session, 2011

Amendment

LCO No. 7923

HB0515807923HDO

Offered by:

REP. HENNESSY, 127th Dist.

To: Subst. House Bill No. 5158

File No. 171

Cal. No. 108

**"AN ACT AUTHORIZING BOW AND ARROW HUNTING ON
SUNDAY UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Section 53-206d of the general statutes is repealed and the
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2011*):

5 (a) (1) No person shall carry a pistol, revolver, machine gun,
6 shotgun, rifle or other firearm, which is loaded and from which a shot
7 may be discharged, upon his person (A) while under the influence of
8 intoxicating liquor or any drug, or both, or (B) while the ratio of
9 alcohol in the blood of such person is [ten-hundredths] three-
10 hundredths of one per cent or more of alcohol, by weight.

11 (2) Any person who violates any provision of this subsection shall
12 be guilty of a class B misdemeanor.

13 (b) (1) No person shall engage in hunting while under the influence

14 of intoxicating liquor or any drug, or both, or while impaired by the
15 consumption of intoxicating liquor. A person shall be deemed under
16 the influence when at the time of the alleged offense the person (A) is
17 under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any drug, or both, or (B)
18 has an elevated blood alcohol content. For the purposes of this
19 subdivision, "elevated blood alcohol content" means (i) a ratio of
20 alcohol in the blood of such person that is [ten-hundredths] three-
21 hundredths of one per cent or more of alcohol, by weight, or (ii) if such
22 person has been convicted of a violation of this subsection, a ratio of
23 alcohol in the blood of such person that is [seven-hundredths] two-
24 hundredths of one per cent or more of alcohol, by weight. A person
25 shall be deemed impaired when at the time of the alleged offense the
26 ratio of alcohol in the blood of such person was more than [seven-
27 hundredths] two-hundredths of one per cent of alcohol, by weight, but
28 less than [ten-hundredths] three-hundredths of one per cent of alcohol,
29 by weight.

30 (2) Any person who violates any provision of this subsection shall
31 be guilty of a class A misdemeanor.

32 (3) Enforcement officers of the Department of Environmental
33 Protection are empowered to arrest for a violation of the provisions of
34 this subsection."